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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
	10/713,819	WADAHARA ET AL.
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Andrew T. Piziali. (3) _____.

(2) Josh Ryan. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 05 February 2008.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: All.

Identification of prior art discussed: USPN 7,138,345 and WO03/004758, each to Wadahara.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The examiner indicated that applicant's arguments filed 1/7/2008 appeared to be persuasive. The examiner indicated that the Wadahara references appear to be particularly relevant to the patentability of the current claims. Applicant's representative indicated that the references would be shown to the applicant for consideration.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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